WIC Work Group

April 12, 2017







AGENDA REVIEW





Nutrition Assessment

- Asked members to provide feedback on current set
- 2 responses- they look fine
- 1 person had more significant input
- Merged member and State input and have new drafts ready for review



Nutrition Assessment

- Considered if we could eliminate use of:
 - SOAP
 - Nutrition Contacts
 - Goal Setting
 - Referral
- Have to verify this is possible in SPIRIT
- All information incorp. into Nutrition Assessment?
- This would be a complete overhaul
 - See sample



Rx Forms Review

Requirements

- 1 form preferably
 - Either infants one side & women/children on other
 - One generic side & detailed instruction and formulary on back
 - Other...
- Merge Similac & Medical (but still distinguish)
- Align formula with diagnosis



Rx Forms

- Lacy worked on 2 versions that tried to meet criteria
- Kate added one more version
- 3 to review- in packets



Participant Survey

- Jeanine Lund- review process & questions for survey
 - Questions and PDSA in your packets
- Feedback
- How to distribute
 - Electronic
 - Paper
 - Data pulls (past participants)
 - Qualitative aspect?



 Most participants scored State WIC staff high on "Response to local needs" questions.

State WIC staff provide services in a timely manner

90% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff provide services correctly the first time

82% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff demonstrates a willingness to help citizens/customers

88% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff demonstrates knowledge and expertise with consistency

82% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff makes information easily available

83% agree or strongly agree



State WIC staff provide information/tools in a format that I can understand

88% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff meet expectations for quality service delivery

85% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff provide useful ideas and suggestions to resolve administrative issues in the clinic

75% agree or strongly agree

State WIC staff provide a comfortable platform to communicate concerns/requests

81% agree or strongly agree

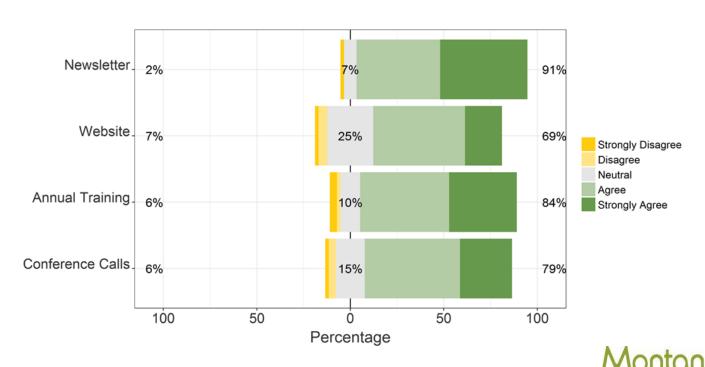
The State WIC directory provides clear guidance on who to contact based on specific inquiries

81% agree or strongly agree



 We asked survey participants if the weekly newsletter, WIC website, annual WIC trainings, or local agency conference calls were effective ways to stay updated on changing WIC policies.

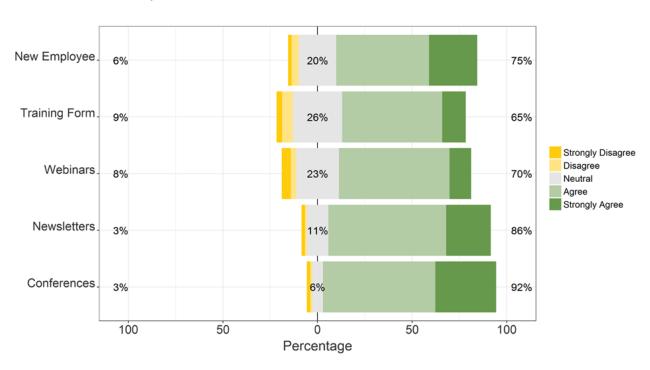




Staff were asked which training methods are most effective

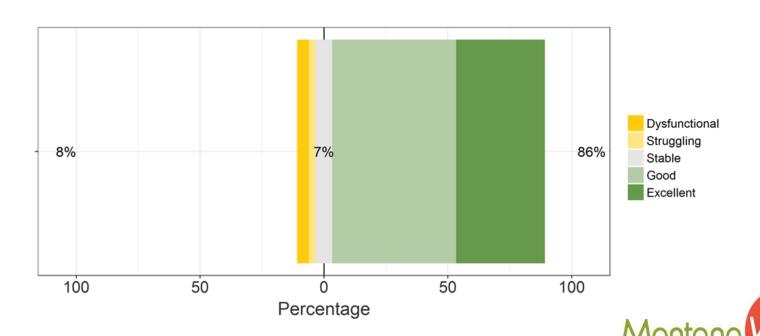
Training Methods

Local Staff Survey Winter 2017



 Survey participants were asked to characterize their relationship with State staff. Eight staff members reported struggling or dysfunctional relationships. This is an increase from last survey.

Professional Relationship Local Staff Survey Winter 2017

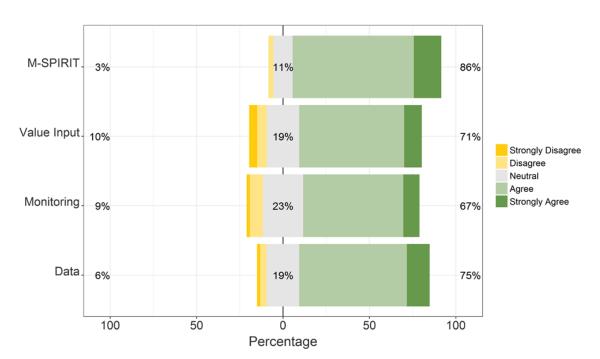


Survey participants were asked if they agree or disagree with the following statements:

- State Provides effective guidance to navigate M-SPIRIT
- Local agency input is valued and implemented
- Monitoring process is transparent and understood
- Data provided by the State is helpful and presented in an understandable manner

Monitoring and Data

Local Staff Survey Winter 2017





Customer Service Survey Continued

- There were 21 comments provided with the survey, some of them very negative.
- Last year it seemed those comments may have been the result of specific events, these seem more general, as if they happen regularly.
- We are looking for guidance on how to take action to remedy this.



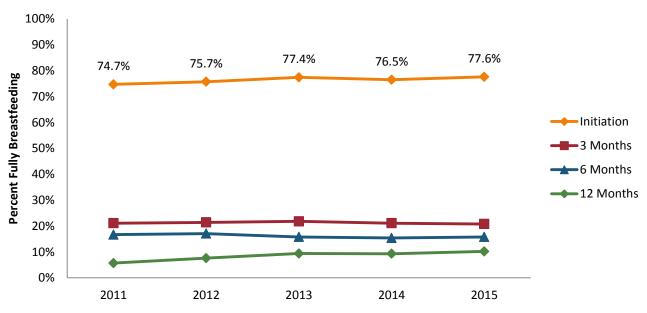
New Data

- Breastfeeding
- Anemia
- BMI
- Low birth weight
- Prematurity
- Trimester entry into WIC



Breastfeeding – Fully

Montana WIC 2011-2015: Rates Fully Breastfeeding

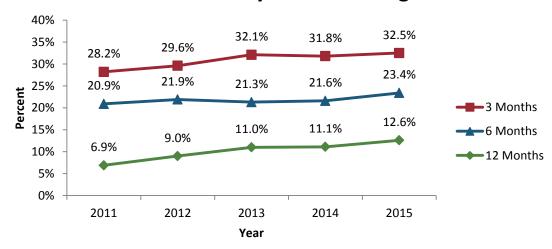






Breastfeeding – Any

Montana WIC 2011-2015 Rates of Any Breastfeeding

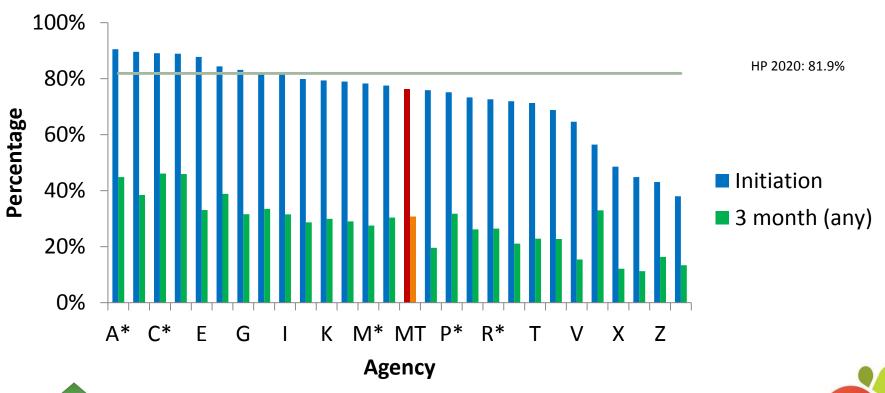






Breastfeeding – By Agency

Breastfeeding Rates for Montana WIC participants, by agency, 2011-2015

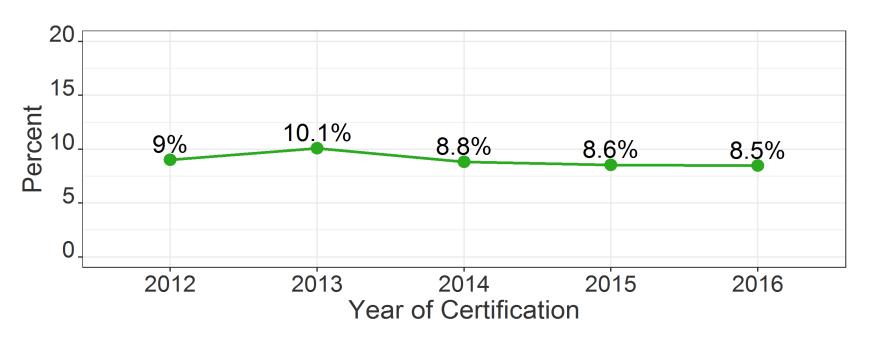






Anemia – Pregnant Mothers

Low Hemoglobin Rates by Year



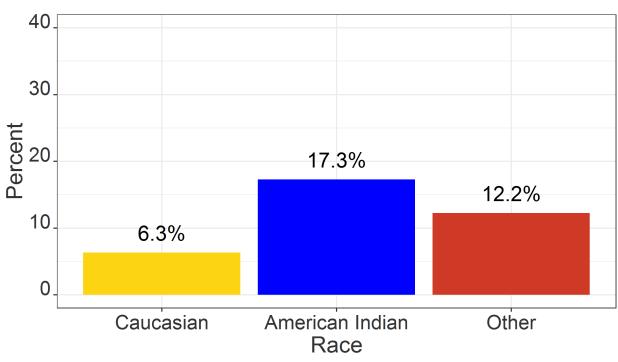




Anemia – Pregnant Mothers

Low Hemoglobin Level Rates by Race

Pregnant Montana WIC Clients: 2012-2016

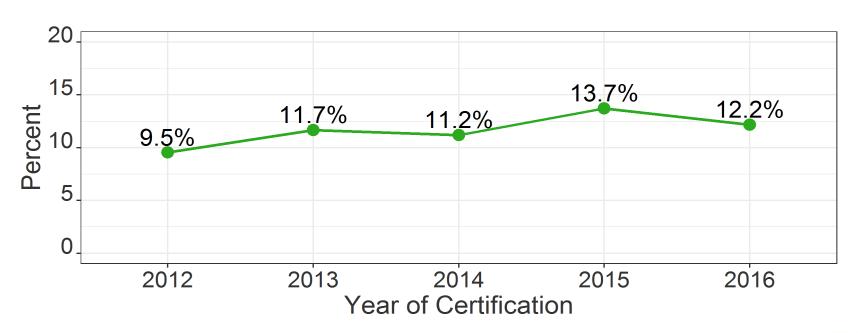






Anemia - Children

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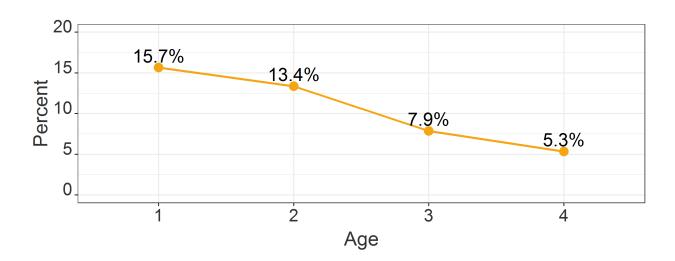






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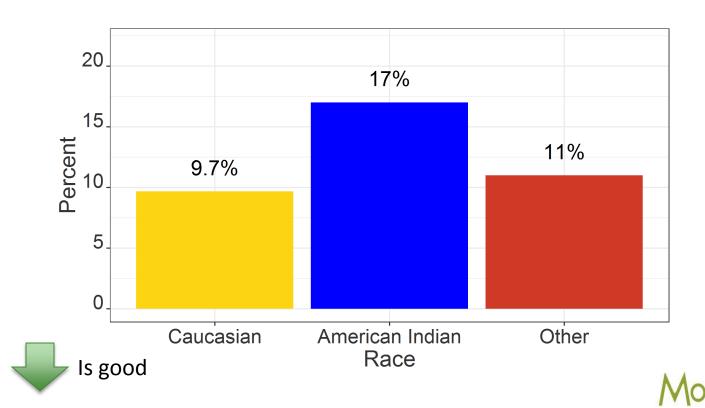




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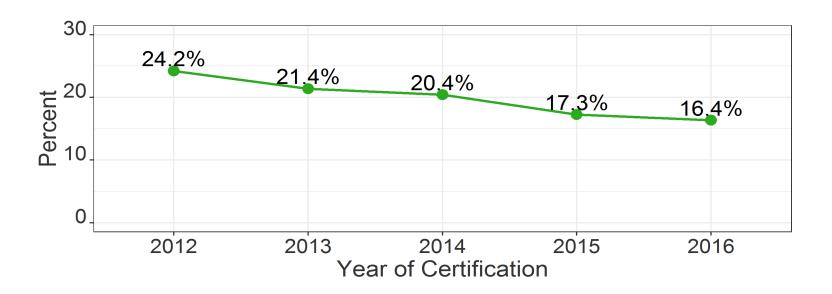
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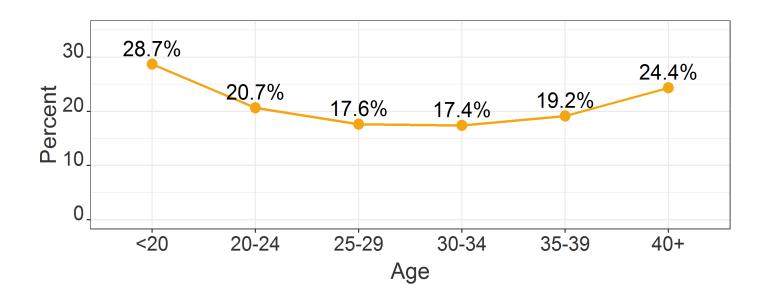






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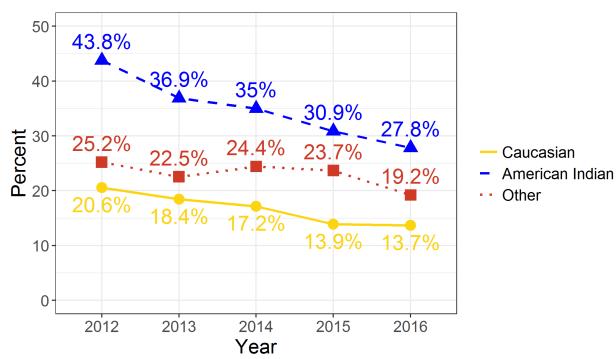






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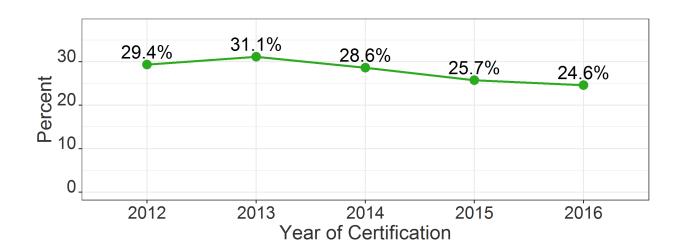






Anemia – Non-Breastfeeding Mothers

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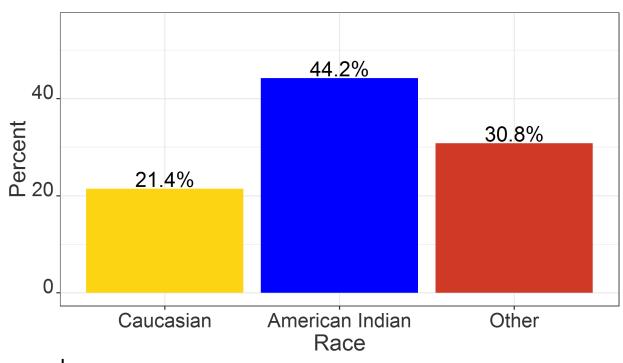




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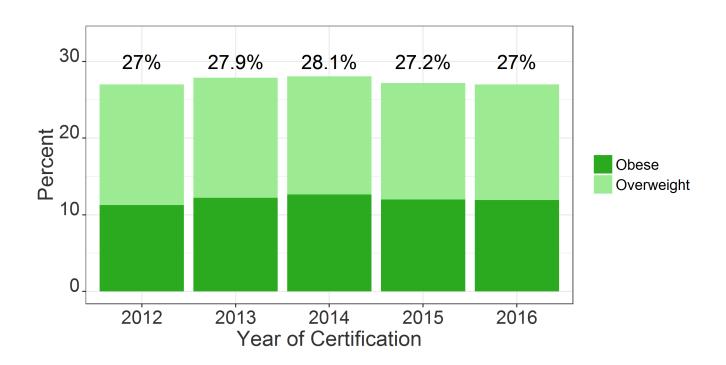
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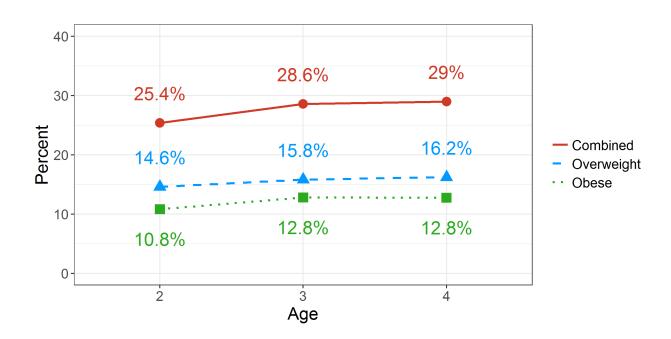
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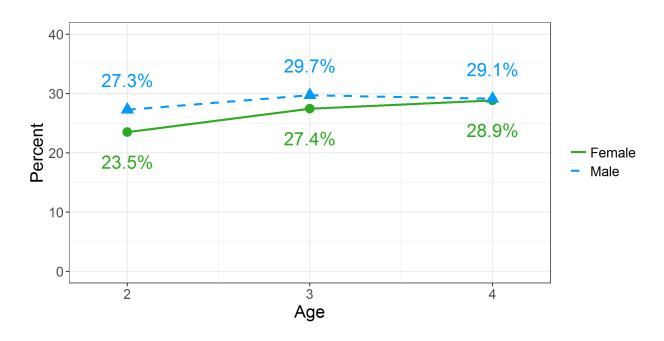
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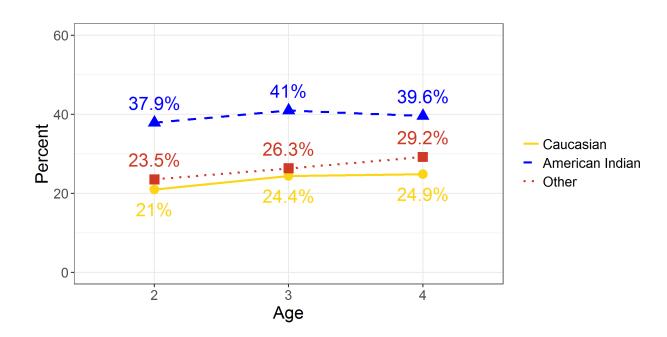
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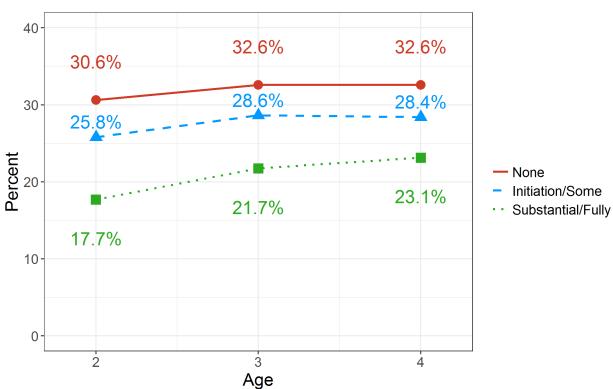
Overweight and Obesity Rates by Race







Overweight and Obesity Rates by Breastfeeding







Prematurity & Low Birth Weight

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Montana WIC 2012-2016

Montana Birth Data 2015	State	Rank*	U.S.**
Preterm Birth Rate	8.4	43rd (tie)	9.6
Low Birthweight Rate	7.1	35th (tie)	8.1

¹ Excludes data from U.S. territories

‡Number of live births per 1,000 females aged 15-19

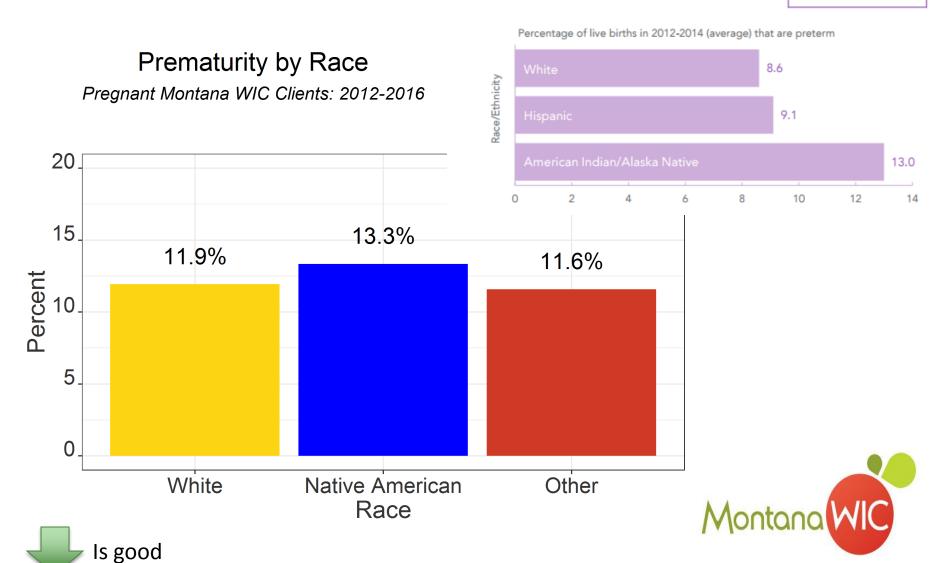


- Prematurity
- Low Birth Weight



Prematurity & Low Birth Weight

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Low Birth Weight

Low birthweight by race: Montana, 2012-2014 Average

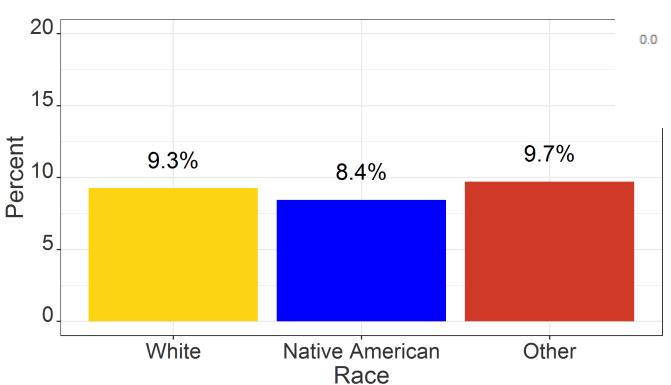
Percent of live births

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Low Birth Weight by Race

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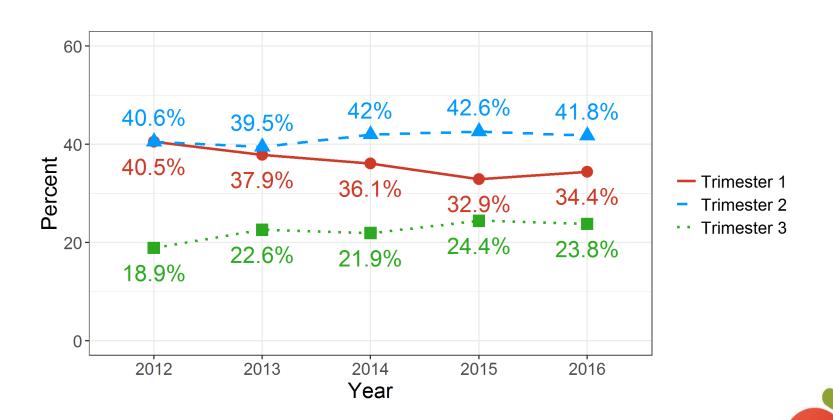






Trimester Entry to WIC

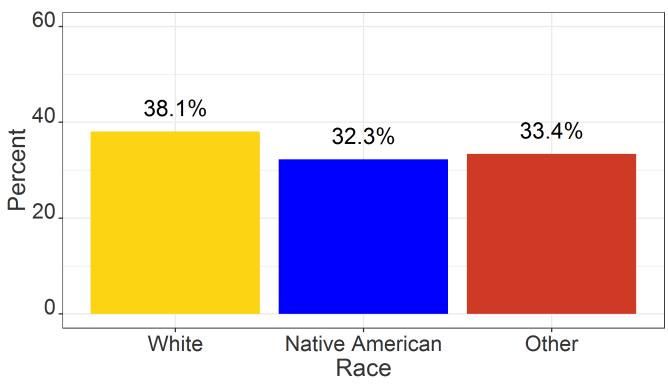
Trimester of WIC Entry



Trimester Entry to WIC

First Trimester Entry by Race

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Data Discussion

- Dissemination
- Other data points that you are interested in?



Next Meeting

- July
- Topics?

